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Notices.

NOTICE

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I will only accept COIN for RENTS as Well as other payments to be made to me.
no30 Ld. LOWENBERG.

Notice of Removal.

DR. DAVIE HAS REMOVED HIS OFFICE to the rear of the Colonist Building, Langley street. Office hours from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m, and 6 p.m. to 7 p.m Residence as before. ja5 3m

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED, W. C. BRYANT, has admitted ABRAM YEARXA into partnership with him in the business of Farrier and Horseshoer. The business will in future be carried on under the name and style of Bryant & Yearxa. W C BRYANT.

With reference to the above, Bryant & Yearxa, Farriers and Horseshoers, request a continuance of the patronage of their friends and the public, at the old stand next to Williams' Livery Stables.
ja5 1m BRYANT & YEARXA.

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY GIVE notice, that the partnership existing between Frank Sehl and F. Volkmann, as Saloon keepers, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business in future will be carried on by Frank Sehl alone, who will receive all the debts due the late firm and discharge all liabilities.

FRANK SEHL
F. VOLKMANN.
Victoria, B C, Dec. 31st, 1869. ja1

CAUTION.

ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY CAUtioned against selling, buying or removing any of the wood belonging to Henry Toothill and George Stelly, on the several lots numbered 7, 6, 5, 4, 15, 16 and 17 on sections of land part of the Estate of J McKay, near Cadboro Bay, Victoria District, without the consent of the undersigned Henry Toothill.

HENRY TOOTHILL
Witness—Robert Bishop, Solicitor.
Dated this 10th day of January, 1870. ja11

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED BEING ABOUT to close their business in Victoria, would request all parties indebted to them to call at their office and settle. All bills unpaid on the 31st January, 1870, will be put in the hands of their Solicitors for collection. Parties having claims against the firm will please present them before that time.

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FOR SALE at Reduced Prices, the whole of the Stock on Hand, consisting of 90 tons LIVERPOOL SALT, coarse and fine, FEED, GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c.
Victoria, Dec 31, 1869. ja1

INFORMATION WANTED

OF JOHN HOLDEN LAWTON, AGED 25 years, a native of Manchester, England. The last heard of him he was in the Royal Hospital at Victoria, Vancouver Island, laid up of a fractured thigh, caused by assisting in getting an engine out of the ship RISING SUN. Any information of him will be thankfully received by his father, James M Lawton, 314 Locust street, St Louis, state of Missouri, America. d-15 4t

Mineral Boring.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING HAD many years experience in boring for minerals, and enjoyed every facility for acquiring a thorough practical knowledge of the Coal Strata of this Colony, begs to inform parties who are about to prospect for Coal that he is now open for an engagement and holds himself in readiness to conduct any operation of that nature which may be entrusted to him.

MR J. DICK, Nanaimo.
References:—Mr J Bryden, Manager V I C; Mr Robt Dunsmuir, Manager Harewood Co. de14 3mdAw*

Supreme Court, Vancouver Island, B. C.

REGISTRAR'S OFFICE.

AN INDENTURE BEARING DATE the 14th day of January, 1870, between Thomas Tugwell, of Esquimalt, Licensed Victualler, on the one part and James Fell and John Vogel both of Victoria, British Columbia, Trustees on behalf of the Creditors of the said Thomas Tugwell, of the other part, witnesseth: That Thomas Tugwell conveys all his Estate and Effects to the said James Fell and John Vogel absolutely, to be applied and administered for the benefit of the creditors of the said Thomas Tugwell in like manner as if the said Thomas Tugwell had been at the date thereof duly adjudged a Bankrupt, was brought into my office for Registration on Monday, the 17th day of January, 1870, at the hour of 2 o'clock, p m, and was duly Registered by me pursuant to the provisions of the Bankruptcy Act, 1861.

RICHARD WOODS,
Acting Registrar.
Ja20

DR. CHING FUN—A CARD—EDITOR

BRITISH COLONIST:—Through the medium of your paper I want to state the very great good that has been done me by Dr Ching Fun of this city, next door to Kwong, Lee & Co For 24 years I suffered with neuralgia on the brain, which baffled the skill of three firstclass American physicians Latterly bronchitis attacked my right lung, and my eyes became awfully inflamed Despairing of ever being cured I placed myself as a last resort in the hands of Dr Ching Fun, and after five months' treatment I am a well man and feel that I cannot sound the eminent Chinese gentleman's praises too loudly, so that all my countrymen similarly affected may visit him and find relief Respectfully,

JOHN HENTON, of Kentucky, U S
Victoria, 3d August, 1869 no14m

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the first sitting of the Court of Revision on the Municipal Real Estate Assessment Roll, 1870-71 under the provisions of the "Victoria Municipal Ordinance, 1867," and the "Victoria Municipal Amendment Ordinance, 1869," will be held at the City Council Chambers, Broad-treet, on Monday, the thirty-first day of January instant, and all persons wishing to appeal against said Assessment Roll must serve notice of such appeal and the grounds therefore, to the Clerk of the Municipal Council on or before the said thirty-first day of January next ensuing.

By order of the Mayor and Council,
WM. LEIGH, C. M. C.
Council Chambers, Jan 8th, 1870. ja9 1m

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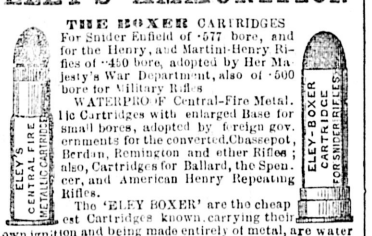
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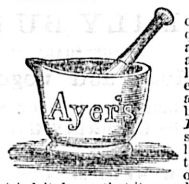
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For **Dysentery** or **Diarrhœa**, but one mild dose is generally required.

For **Rheumatism, Gout, Gravel, Palpitation of the Heart, Pain in the Side, Back** and **Loins**, they should be continuously taken, as required, to change the diseased action of the system. With such change those complaints disappear.

For **Dropsy** and **Dropsical Swellings** they should be taken in large and frequent doses to produce the effect of a drastic purge.

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As a *Dinner Pill*, take one or two *Pills* to promote digestion and relieve the stomach.

An occasional dose stimulates the stomach and bowels into healthy action, restores the appetite, and invigorates the system. Hence it is often advantageous where no serious derangement exists. One who feels tolerably well, often finds that a dose of these *Pills* makes him feel decidedly better, from their cleansing and renovating effect on the digestive apparatus.—

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Syphilis or *Venereal* and *Mercurial Diseases* are cured by it, though a long time is required for subduing these obstinate maladies by any medicine. But long continued use of this medicine will cure the complaint. *Leucorrhœa* or *Whites, Uterine Ulcerations*, and *Female Diseases*, are commonly soon relieved and ultimately cured by its purifying and invigorating effect. Minute Directions for each case are found in our Almanac, supplied gratis. *Rheumatism* and *Gout*, when caused by accumulations of extraneous matters in the blood, yield quickly to it, as also *Liver Complaints, Torpidity, Congestion* or *Inflammation* of the *Liver*, and *Jaundice*, when arising, as they often do, from the rankling poisons in the blood. This *SARSAPARILLA* is a great restorer for the strength and vigor of the system. Those who are *Languid* and *Listless, Despondent, Sleepless*, and troubled with *Nervous Apprehensions* or *Fears*, or any of the affections symptomatic of *Weakness*, will find immediate relief and convincing evidence of its restorative power upon trial.

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AGENTS FOR VICTORIA—Janion, Green & Rhodes.
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FRAUD

On the 27th June, 1868, MOTEEWALLAH, a Printer, was convicted at the Supreme Court, Calcutta, of counterfeiting the

LABELS

of Messrs CROSSE & BLACKWELL London, and was sentenced by Mr Justice Phear to

TWO YEARS RIGOROUS IMPRISONMENT

And on the 30th of the same month, for

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The Public therefore are cautioned against using any other than

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This INVALUABLE REMEDY produces quiet, refreshing sleep, relieves pain, calms the nervous system, restores the deranged functions and stimulates healthy action of the secretions of the body without creating any of those unpleasant results attending the use of opium. Old and young may take it at all hours and times when requisite. Thousands of persons testify to its marvellous good effects and wonderful cures, while medical men extol its virtues most extensively using it in great quantities in the following diseases:—

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EXTRACTS FROM MEDICAL OPINIONS

The Right Hon Earl Russell communicated to the College of Physicians and J T Davenport that he had received information to the effect that the only remedy of any service in Cholera was Chlorodyne.—See Lancet, Dec 31, 1864

From A. Montgomery, Esq., late Inspector of Hospitals, Bombay. "Chlorodyne is a most valuable remedy in Neuralgia, Asthma and Dysentery. To it I fairly owe my restoration to health after eighteen months' severe suffering, and when other medicines had failed."

Dr Lowe, Medical Missionary in India, reports [Dec. 1865] that in nearly every case of Cholera in which Dr J Collis Browne's Chlorodyne was administered, the patient recovered.

Extract from Medical Times, Jan 10, 1863—Chlorodyne is prescribed by scores of orthodox medical practitioners. Of course it would not thus be singularly popular did it not supply a want and fill a place.

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Beware of spurious and dangerous compounds sold a CHLORODYNE from which frequent fatal results have followed.

See leading article, Parmaceutical Journal, Aug 1, 1868, which states that Dr J Collis Browne was the inventor of Chlorodyne that it is always right to use his preparation when Chlorodyne is ordered.

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ANGELA COLLEGE.

THE BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL will be re-opened on MONDAY, the 17th January inst, under the superintendence of

MRS SEBWIGHT GREEN,
ja7 Lady Principal pro tem.

SCHOOL NOTICE.

MADAME PETITBEAU'S SCHOOL FOR Young Ladies will be reopened on MONDAY NEXT, 10th January, and the attendance of all the Pupils is particularly requested on that day. ja6td

Collegiate School.

THE COLLEGIATE SCHOOL WILL be Reopened on THURSDAY, 20th January.

F B GRIBBELL, Principal,
ja5 1m T NICHOLSON, Vice Principal.

NOTICE.

MRS WILSON BROWN'S SCHOOL will reopen on MONDAY, the 17th inst. Church Bank, V I. ja8 1m

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This medicine is so well known in every part of the world, and the cures effected by its use are so wonderful as to astonish every one. Its specific influence as a remedy for bilious and liver complaints and derangements of the stomach and bowels, is no longer a matter of dispute or doubt. In these diseases the beneficial effects of Holloway's invaluable Pills are so permanent and extensive, that the whole system is renovated, the organs of digestion strengthened, and full and easy assimilation protected, so that both physical and moral energy is increased

Determination of Blood to the Head.

This is generally occasioned by some irregularity of the stomach and bowels, which, if not quickly attended to frequently terminates fatally. A few doses of this celebrated Pills never fail to give tone to the stomach, regularity to the secretions, and purity to the fluids. Vertiginous of sight and other indications of approaching apoplexy, are entirely dissipated by a course of this admirable medicine

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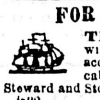
Saturday Morning, Jan 22, 1870.

Communication and Population.

The urgency and importance of the subject forming our caption will constitute ample apology for so frequent reference to it. That the recent discovery of what has been called by old experienced miners 'a second California' will attract hither a large population in the Spring cannot for a moment be doubted. Every steamer brings fresh evidence of the existence in California of the Peace River fever; and when it is borne in mind that an unusual depression pervades that country at the present moment, and that there are thousands looking anxiously for some avenue of escape from such a condition, we are quite justified in the belief that, should any reasonable facilities for reaching British Columbia exist a 'rush' second only to that of 1858 will set in to these long neglected shores. It may be thought by some that it is just at such a time we have least occasion to trouble ourselves about the facilities for reaching the colony—that on such occasions considerations of that kind are not likely to deter people. Now, although true in one sense, this is not true in the most important sense. Doubtless the excited and adventurous gold-hunter will, in a majority of cases, overcome all obstacles, and force his way to our new gold fields; but let it be remembered that he is not the only class we want. Valuable as the gold miner is, there is a still more valuable class; and it should be our especial concern to draw that class to our shores. The agriculturist may, in many instances, come to us in the guise of a gold-seeker; but he may not always possess sufficient adventure to overcome the difficulties and discouragements presented by the execrable means of communication at present existing between this colony, and San Francisco. There are thousands of this class who, if made aware of the true character and advantages of the colony would come to it and make valuable settlers, did facile means of communication exist. Our duty is plain. Measures must be adopted for circulating reliable information respecting the colony, and immediate steps must be taken for providing easy means of reaching it. Regarding the best mode of accomplishing the former object, there can hardly be any difference of opinion. It will be within the recollection of many that this subject occupied the attention of the Legislative Council during last session. The member for New Westminster moved, and the senior member for Victoria seconded, 'That an humble address be presented to His Excellency the Governor, recommending the immediate establishment, at San Francisco, of an Emigration Agency, for the purpose of affording information respecting the colony, and the best means of reaching it.' This resolution was adopted without a division; but, of course, it was never acted upon, the Executive having quite as much as it could attend to in squeezing enough out of the sponge to pay official salaries, without undertaking any new enterprise, no matter how reproductive it might prove, or how small an expenditure it involved. Who can doubt that such an agency would, in the course of the year, have resulted in sending one hundred settlers to the Colony? Estimating these at the value put upon them in the Eastern States—and surely they are worth more here—the Colony would have been benefited to the extent of one hundred thousand dollars, at an outlay certainly not exceeding five thousand—less than five per cent upon the results. But with a government absorbed in "killing the goose that lays the golden egg" such considerations could not be presumed to have much weight. If it was the duty of the government to take such a step last year—and the Legislature so pronounced—surely that duty derives additional weight and urgency from the fact that now conditions exist calculated to render such an agency far more necessary and fruitful in good results to the colony. Turning to the twin duty of direct steam communication, we have to deal with an enterprise of much greater magnitude, both as regards the necessary expenditure involved and the results certain to be attained. To establish an effective line of colonial steamers might possibly involve an expenditure of one hundred thousand dollars a year. Can the colony, standing alone, as it does, afford to undertake an enterprise of such magnitude? We will give an Irishman's answer:—Can the colony afford to invest one hundred thousand dollars in an enterprise certain to yield half a million? But where is the money to come from? Save it from the Civil List. Less Government and increased population. Fewer officials and more people—more *producers*. That is what the country most needs just now. It may be that we shall not need to undertake this enterprise as a colonial one. Immediate union with Canada would make it a Federal charge. But what we desire to impress upon both Government and people is this: The establishment of good and cheap direct steam communication between this colony and San Francisco is a work of immediate necessity, which must not wait upon Confederation, or any other ation. It must be entered upon at once, as a colonial necessity; and if political changes enable us to shift the burden on to broader shoulders, so much the better. The Governor should open correspondence with the English capitalists now making arrangements for placing a line of steamers on the route between Australasia and San Francisco, and he should do this without delay, so that the result might be placed before the Legislative Council, during the approaching session. It is highly probable that the company referred to would, for a less sum than we have hinted at, be prepared to undertake such a service as we require, in conjunction with the larger scheme, as the two would work in harmony. But, from whatever source we are to expect the necessary capital and ships, the sooner the Governor obtains such information as will enable the Legislature to deal intelligently with this most important matter the better will it be for all parties concerned; and whether or not we may be enabled to place a colonial line of steamers on the route in time for the expected Spring immigration, some material amelioration of existing conditions must be attained. The present state of matters in this regard cannot be endured at a time when so much hangs upon the issue. The first great tide of population was beaten back by the intervention of the Government, and the establishment of a blockade at the entrance to the Mainland. Shall we be so insane as to repel a second tide by withholding the means of reaching our shores? Let the people, whom it most concerns, and from whose pockets the money must come, return an immediate and practical answer. Let them adopt prompt means for giving the present Governor distinctly to understand that they will not submit to a repetition of past insanity in reference to this matter. We must have no more penny wisdom and pound folly on the subject of population.

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BERRIN BARNETT.
Victoria, B C, Jan 15, 1870. ja16 1w*

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Showing the average amount of LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the Bank of British Columbia, within the C of British Columbia, and its dependencies, taken from the several Weekly Statements for the Quarter e 31st December, 1869.

LIABILITIES			ASSETS	
Notes in Circulation		$129,568 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$138
Balances due to other Banks and Branches		17,708 02	Gold and Silver Bullion	8
Deposits not bearing Interest	$121,129 87		Landed and other Property	55,5
Deposits bearing Interest	31,576 98	152,706 85	Balances due from other Banks and Branches	56,0
			All debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills, and Balances due from other Banks and Branches	335,1
Total amount of Liabilities		$290,982 87	Total amount of Assets	$627,6

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at close of the Quarter ending 31 Dec'r., 1869 ..... $1,490,000
Rate of last Dividend declared to the Shareholders ..... 4 ₱ cent ₱ annum
Amount of last Dividend declared $29,800 00
Amount of reserved profit at time of declaring such dividend $4,850 20
(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager,
CHAS. H. LAWRENCE, Act'g. Acc
VICTORIA, B. C., 31st December, 1869.

I, William Curtis Ward, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing s ment is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Assets and Liabilities within this Colony, o Bank, during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the weekly statements thereof, ke pursuance of the provisions of "The Banking Act, 1864."
(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.
Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 3rd day of January, 1870.
ja4 (Signed) A. F. PEMBERTON, S. M.

Schedule B.

GENERAL ABSTRACT Shewing the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within the Col of British Columbia, of the Bank of British North America, taken from the usual Weekly Statements d the Quarter from 30th September, 1869, to 31st December, 1869.

LIABILITIES.	Am't.	Totals.	ASSETS.	Am't.	Tot
Notes in circulation, not bearing interest		$153,465 00	Legal Tender Coin, in Gold and Silver		$199,4
Notes in circulation, bearing interest			Gold and Silver, in Bullion		38,2
Bills in circulation, not bearing interest			Landed and other Property		27,7
Bills in circulation, bearing interest			Notes and Bills of other Banks		2,5
Balances due to other Banks and Branches		20,621 70	Balances due from other Banks and Branches		277,0
Deposits, not bearing interest	$298,124 99		Amount of all Debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks and Branches		$160,9
Deposits, bearing interest	171,277 00	469,401 99			
Total amount of liabilities		$643,488 69	Total amount of assets		$705,9

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the quarter ended 30th of Sept., 1869 ..... $5,000,0
Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders, ... 7 ₱ ct
Amount of the last Dividend declared $200,0
Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such dividend 735,8
Signed ROBERT BURRELL, Interim Manager.
J. GOODFELLOW, Acting Accountant.
Victoria, B. C., 31st December, 1869.

I, Robert Burrell, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing ab is a true and faithful account of the average amount of Assets and Liabilities within this Colony of the above during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in purs of the provisions of the "Banking Act, 1864."
(Signed) ROBERT BURRELL, Interim Mana
Declared before me at Victoria, this 5th day of January, 1870.
ja6 (Signed) A. F. PEMBERTON, S. M.

Boys' Gymnasium,
View Street,
Between Douglas and Blanchard,

LEWIS STEMMLER WILL OPEN THE above Gymnasium for the instruction of Boys between the ages of 10 and 16 years, THIS (Saturday) EVENING at 7 o'clock, and continue until further notice.
ja15 1m

Burns Anniversary.

CALEDONIAN BENEVOLENT ASSOCIATION
SOIREE and BALL,
ALHAMBRA HALL, JANUARY 25th.

REFRESHMENTS will be served at 7 p m. sharp
DANCING will commence at 9 o'clock.
TICKETS $2 50, to admit Lady and Gentleman, to be had of Mr Thomas Russell, Fort street, or of any Member of the Association.
JAMES ORR, J. STUART, } Committee
ja9

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against Mr N I Neustadt are requested to present them immediately under cover to the undersigned, at the store of Messrs Adams & Beavan, Government street.
BERRIN BARNETT.
Victoria, B C, Jan 15, 1870. ja16 1w*

FIRST PREMIUM
COLONIAL MADE
WROUGHT IRON PLOWS
After the Scotch Style,
Universally acknowledged to be the
BEST IN USE.
Price - - - - - $65

THE FIRST PREMIUM WAS AWARDED these Celebrated Plows at the recent Plowing match at Saanich.
MANUFACTURED TO ORDER AT THE
ALBION FOUNDRY,
VICTORIA, V. I.
Orders for Plows, or parts of Plows, punctually filled.
ja15 1md&w

BLANKETS!

TO ARRIVE PER "PRINCE OF WALES" and "ALPACA" from London.
2,500 PAIRS
2 1-2 Point Blankets,
Assorted Colors,
FOR SALE BY
HENRY NATHAN, Jr., & CO.
de28 1md&w Wharf St, Victoria.

MONEY TO LOAN

AT LOW RATES, ON FIRST CLAS security.
HOUSES TO LET.
TOWN AND COUNTRY PROPERTIES for Sale or to Let.
T. ALLSOP,
Agent.
Jy20 6m* Government street, near Broughton

THOS. CAMERON
COACH & WAGON BUILDER,
Farriery & Blacksmithi

HAS ON HAND A LARGE ASSORTM of Bullock and Six Mule Team Wagons, of th material, for sale.
CORMORANT STREET.
ja 10

Buy It and Try I
RUSSELL'S
PURE COFFEE

NO CHICORY!
NO BEANS!
NO ADULTERATION.

THOMAS RUSSELL, GROCER A Coffee Roaster, keeps constantly on hand choice ly Groceries, Teas and Provisions
FARMER'S PRODUCE taken in exchange.
COR. FORT AND BLANCHARD S
de23

LAKE VINEYARD WINE COMPA
CALIFORNIA.

NO WINE PURPORTING TO BE this Company's production is genuine unless ing their Trade Mark on Package, Lable and Seal.
For Sale by
ja17 J. ROBERTSON STEWA

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.
KWONG LEE & CO.

HAVE REMOVED TO THEIR BRI Building on Cormorant street, between Gov ment and Store streets, west of the "Prince of W Saloon.
Victoria, V I, Jan 11, 1870. ja11

THORNE'S BLENDE
Scotch Whisky.

A SMALL QUANTITY OF THE AB in case, for sale by the undersigned, in bond or paid.
de23 FINDLAY & DURHAM

Hennessy Brandy

FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGN in Case, in Bond or Duty Paid.
de23 FINDLAY & DURHA

Sherries

FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGN a small assortment of First Class Sherries in bulk,
SUPERIOR PALE SHERRY
do do do very d
do GOLD do
de23 FINDLAY & DURHAM

HOOP IRON.

FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGN 1, 1¼ and 1½ inch Hoop Iron.
ALSO—Round, Square and Flat Iron, Sheet Iron Canada Plate, in quantities to suit.
de16 FINDLAY & DURHAM

DUNVILLE'S CELEBRATE
Irish Whisky

FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNE in cases and quarter casks, in bond or duty paid.
de23 FINDLAY & DURHAM

THE BRITISH COLONIST.

Saturday Morning, Jan. 22, 1870.

City Council.

JANUARY 21, 1870.

Council met at 4 o'clock, p m, His Worship the Mayor in the Chair and Councillors McKay, Russell, Allsop, Gerow and Carey, present.

Communication from J W Williams, complaining of the manner in which certain animals belonging to him had been impounded, and asking for a refund of fees.

After considerable discussion the communication was deferred, to come up at the next general meeting, and the Clerk ordered to notify Mr Williams to produce any evidence he might have.

Report of the Auditors of the city accounts was read and ordered to be printed.

Communication from T Chadwick, complaining of the state of Bastion street. Referred to the Mayor.

Communication from Mr Bishop, attorney for C Wren, asking that the opinion of the Council on the charges made against him be suspended till the return of Wren from Olympia. Filed.

Communication from residents complaining of the dangerous state of sidewalk on Cormorant street between Douglas and Quadra. Referred to Street Committee.

Accounts of John Crowther, $2, and A W Davie, $2 50 for making and painting notice board at the Pound. H F Heisterman, $60, for three months' rent. Referred to Finance Committee.

The Clerk announced that the total sum received on account of Pound Fees was $233 45. The expenses, including rent, $256; making a loss of about $23.

Councillor Carey said it was a pity, after all the bother, that the institution hadn't paid.

The Mayor—It wasn't intended for that, but as a public convenience.

Councillor McKay—The Pound would have paid if Councillor Carey hadn't moved to curtail the boundaries. He is to blame for the deficit.

Councillor Carey pleaded not guilty. He had only fallen in with the suggestion of the Mayor.

Councillor Russell moved that the report of the Clerk be adopted. Carried.

Councillor Allsop called attention to complaints that had been made about cattle running at large.

The Mayor said there was now no poundkeeper.

Councillor Carey thought there was a good chance to revise the whole by-law.

The Mayor—If the Council don't appoint one, I will.

Councillor Carey—I don't think you've got the power. You may try it on if you like.

The Mayor—Now, listen. I'm sworn to carry out the law, and if the Council won't appoint a keeper, I will.

Councillor Carey—If you do, you will do so at your own risk.

Councillor McKay moved that a poundkeeper be advertised for.

Councillor Allsop thought the Council should first define the duties of the poundkeeper.

Councillor Carey agreed with Councillor Allsop.

The Mayor—How often are you going to speak?

Councillor Carey—I haven't spoken to this motion yet.

The Mayor—Yes, but you speak so often. At the last meeting you spoke nineteen times on this very Pound question, and I never stopped you. (Laughter.)

Councillor Carey—Why, your Worship, I thought you were asleep on that occasion. (A laugh.) I support Councillor Allsop's suggestion.

Councillor McKay accepted a ryder from Councillor Allsop to have the emoluments and duties of the poundkeeper defined.

The amount due the deputy poundkeeper was referred to the Finance Committee.

Councillor McKay moved that the salary of the Town Clerk be increased $25 per month. Withdrawn because irregular.

Adjourned.

THEATRE ROYAL.—The brilliant assemblage that crowded the theatre last evening and received the actors with cordial and unqualified applause was the most fitting rebuke that could have been administered to the slanderous charges of indecency and immorality which have been brought against the troupe by a certain obscure and Pharisaical clique within the past day or two. Mr Carter and the fair beneficiary may well feel proud of the noble and generous vindication the presence of so many of the best men and women of the colony afforded. Nearly every respectable person in the community appears to feel that in the attack alluded to he or she has been personally insulted; and hence the theatre was better filled last evening than on any previous evening of the season. The comedy of 'Caste' was admirably played. The two principal female characters were sustained by Mrs Carter and Miss Cummings. The ladies received at times ovations of applause. Mr Carter, was exceedingly happy, and won frequent marks of approval. Mr Barry, Mr Morrison and Mr Ellerton were, as usual, admirable. In the burlesque of 'Bombastes Furioso' Mrs Carter took the part of Bombastes splendidly. Miss Cummings played Distaffina with all the grace and gentleness for which that fair maiden was distinguished. Mr Barry's Fusbos, and Mr Ellerton's King, were superb. The local hits—and some of them 'hit' hard—were all taken in excellent part and provoked roars of laughter.

HALF PILOTAGE.—Capt Charles E Lyons, of the steamship California, appeared before the Police Magistrate yesterday on complaint of Capt McKinnon, a Victoria pilot, who charged that he signalled the steamer off Race Rocks, on the 19th inst., and that the defendant had since refused to pay him $20, due for half-pilotage according to law. Captain Lyons, who appeared in person, said that he observed a man in a boat lying more than a mile and a half off, whilst a pilot to be entitled to half-pilotage, must be within a mile of a ship; defendant said he was hailed by another pilot (McCullough) at the mouth of the harbor, and that he had since paid him the half-pilotage; he was not hailed by complainant, nor did he see him hoist a flag. After asking a few questions, the Magistrate promptly dismissed the case.

RECEIVER.—'Frenchy,' charged with receiving stolen goods, upon application of Mr Courtney, was yesterday discharged from custody on his own recognizance.

THE Corporation wants a poundkeeper. Don't all speak at once.

THE AUSTRIAN FRIGATE DONAU AT HONOLULU.—H. I. R. Austrian Majesty's steam frigate Donau, Admiral Baron von Petz, commanding, at Honolulu, S I, on Monday the 20th inst., 37 days from Yokohama, Japan. She encountered two heavy cyclones during the passage, in the last of which she suffered serious damage. The Donau carries 16 guns, and her engines are 300 horsepower. She has on board the members of the Imperial Legation, consisting of Contre Admiral von Petz, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary: Baron von Trauttenberg, Secretary of Legation; Pfisterer, Officer Board of Trade, Schonberger, Czerey, Commercial Reporters. It is understood that the Donau is bound for this station.

LAST NIGHT OF THE CARTER TROUPE.—This will be the last night of the Carter Company, who have so worthily contributed to the amusement of our citizens for some weeks past. It is a circumstance deeply to be regretted that the season has not proved profitable to the enterprising manager, who is deserving of great praise for the pluck which he has displayed in continuing the establishment in the face of pecuniary discouragement. We think, however, that Mr Carter on this, the last night of the season, is justified in anticipating a large and remunerative house. Certainly the bill and the cast—apart from pecuniary considerations—entitle him to a most liberal patronage, and we trust and believe it will not be withheld.

THE LANGFORD LAKE MURDER.—Mr Bishop yesterday applied for a discharge of Steally *alias* 'Butch,' charged with complicity in the Langford Lake murder. Patrick Fowler, who has been in custody on a like charge, was brought from the cells and placed by the side of 'Butch.' The latter said he had nothing to add to the statement already made by him to the Inspector of Police. He was then liberated on his own recognizances to appear again in one month. Fowler, who was indicted at the last assizes, was remanded to prison to stand his trial.

THIS TO THE 'NEWS:'—We have no quarrel with you, nor do we seek one. Hence your low but characteristic abuse of us is not heeded. Your difference is entirely with the public of Victoria, who, the instant you assailed the characters of the lady and gentleman actors connected with the Carter Troupe, rushed as one man (or woman) and espoused their cause. You have thus been censured in the most effectual manner. 'Rest and be thankful' that you escape so well.

ART AND MANUFACTURES.—There is perhaps in no branch of industry greater scope afforded to the artist's skill than in the design and manufacture of Dress Fabrics. A large stock of the newest styles of Dress Materials, comprising some cheap job lots, suitable for the present and the approaching season, together with a general assortment of Dry Goods, received, ex California, today by—A. B. GRAY, Government street. *

THE GUSSIE TELFAIR had 25 passengers booked last evening for San Francisco. Among the best known names are those of Hon F J Barnard, Messrs Henry Nathan, jr, Chief Engineer Kriemler, A Frankel, wife and children, C McK. Smith, A F Keyser, and Mr and Mrs Ralph Phelps. The boat will get off at 8 to-morrow morning.

THE CALIFORNIA, last evening, had four or five passengers booked for Portland. She will sail at 7 o'clock to-morrow morning and will take Mr Barry, and Mr and Mrs Bird, and Mr Morrison of the Carter Company.

AN Indian is in custody on a charge of gouging out the eye of another Indian with the jagged end of a broken bottle. The brute!

THE MAIL will close at 4 o'clock this afternoon, the Express at 6 o'clock.

DELAYED DISPATCHES.

Mexico.

NEW YORK, Jan 7—We have dates to Jan 1st from the city of Mexico *via* Havana. General Aguire, at the head of some troops of the Third Division, made prisoners of the Governor and a majority of the Legislature of San Luis Potosi, and has called a new election to fill their places. On taking possession of the Capitol he made a forced loan of $4 000. Some members of the Legislature escaped and went to Melagumato, where they reorganized and elected Santens temporary Governor, and made application to the Federal Government for assistance. Congress therefore authorized the Government to use 4 000 men of the National Guard to suppress the revolution, and appropriated money to defray the expenses.

Mr Seward is at Orizaba.

A Great War Ship.

From the New York Commercial Advertiser, Dec. 6th.

They are building a war ship in England, the Devastation, which is proudly called "the 'First Rate' of the Future." The keel was laid a few days ago. The new vessel is a turret ship of a novel description, and the Admiralty and her designers have high hopes in her construction. The ship is an iron-clad, without masts or sails, and depends upon steam alone for propulsion, and has a new form of turret. The English regard this ship and her mate, also building, as the pioneers in a class of vessels more formidable than any afloat either in offensive or defensive power, or in coal carrying capacity. They are floating batteries mobilized. The Devastation is 285 feet long, 62½ wide, has a draught of 26 feet, and her burden in tons is 4,406. The Warrior is 380 feet long, and is of 6 000 tons burden. The Minotaur is 4000 feet long, and of 6,021 tons, yet neither of these can compare in strength and solidity with the Devastation. The Warrior has for a plating 4½ inches of hammered iron, and 18 inches of teak. The Minotaur has 5½ inches of rolled iron, 9 inches of teak. Each has an inner skin of thin iron. Devastation will have 12 inches of rolled, 18 inches of teak, and seven times as strong as the other vessels named. The Devastation will have two turrets, and in each will be mounted two 30 ton guns, each carrying a 600 pound shot. Her cost will be $550,000. The Warrior cost $360,000, and the Archilles $450,000. A crew of 259, all told, will suffice to man her. The guns will have an 'all-round fire.' Her engines are two—800 horse-power each. She is a screw steamer, and will make 12½ knots an hour. Her coal storage is 1600 tons, enough, says the London *Times* to 'make the ship to proceed to the Mediterranean and return without coaling between the times of her leaving Spithead and anchoring there again at the conclusion of her voyage; or, it would enable her to cross the Atlantic, fight an action, and afterward return to a home port without having to renew her stock of fuel.'

European Items.

A telegraphic dispatch from Marseilles states that on Dec 9, some houses having been lit up in honor of the *fete* of the Immaculate Conception, a band of 1500 persons paraded the streets, testifying their displeasure before the houses which were illuminated, and singing the 'Marseillaise' and the 'Chant du Depart.' They afterwards went to the Bishop's palace and to the Jesuits' residence, the sentinel stationed before the former being slightly injured. The rioters then directed their steps to the Prefecture where they arrived about midnight and broke some lamps. Several groups were dispersed by a strong detachment of sergeants-de-ville, directed by a Commissary of Police. About sixty arrests were made.

The *North German Correspondent*, of Berlin, known as the organ of Count de Bismarck, publishes a long defence of Prussian policy in a recent issue. The article is intended as a reply to a political and semi-biographical article in a late number of the *Edinburg Review*, bearing as title the name of the North German Chancellor, and professing to reveal the motives and considerations by which the King of Prussia was induced in 1866 to declare war with Austria. The reply contains the following important passage: 'It is well known to the initiated that Venice had been ceded to France before a shot was fired in 1866, and that on the 12th of June in that year, one day after the letter of the Emperor Napoleon to the Minister Drouyn de Lhuys, a convention was concluded between the Cabinets of Vienna and Paris, according to which France, after the overthrow of Prussia, was to be indemnified by compensations, or in other words, by the left bank of the Rhine.'

'The earthquakes at Gross-Gerau,' says the *North German Correspondent* (Hesse-Darmstadt), 'continue. From our last report down to the evening of the 28th ult, the shocks were frequent but slight. On the 37th they were rarer than usual, and on the following day only two were observed. At 10·19 o'clock in the evening, however, without any previous warning, the ground began to tremble far more violently than it had done since the 22nd ult. Three separate shocks were distinguished, and they lasted together seven or eight seconds. The sensation is described as resembling what would be felt if the whole surface of the earth were sliding down an inclined plane. No other shocks were observed during the night, but this only increased the terror of the inhabitants, who have begun to look on every cessation of these interesting but uncomfortable phenomena as only a sign that an outbreak of more than usual violence is at hand.

The King of Prussia lately received the members of the Provincial Synod of Brandenburg, among whom was remarked Baron de Manteuffel. The Protestant clergyman Wolbling, who heads the deputation, expressed the wish that Heaven might long preserve His Majesty to the Evangelical Church, and realize the Royal intentions relative to that body. King William replied in the following terms; 'I thank you for your good wishes, and on my side I desire that the work commenced under the auspices of peace may be accomplished tranquilly. For the Church, it was necessary that something should be done to reassure men's minds, for we have many enemies; I do not allude to the Catholics. If we are no longer to believe that the Messiah is the Son of God, what will occur? Sacred precepts will be nothing more than human aphorisms. That is why I renew my wish to see you arrive pacifically at the satisfactory termination of the work you have commenced.'

It would appear that a fresh dispute is likely to take place between Turkey and Egypt. Several European and American Governments which have no Consulates in the latter country, desire to establish them now that the Suez Canal has opened up a new highway for the commerce of the world. Steps have been taken at Constantinople in order to obtain the recognition of these Consulates, but hitherto the exequatur has been refused by the Porte on the ground that the Governments which ask for it have no diplomatic agents accredited to the Ottoman Government. Only those Powers already represented in Turkey are at liberty, it appears, to institute Consular authorities in Egypt. The *Independance Belge*, which gives the above intelligence, learns from Alexandria that the States interested in this matter will perhaps appeal ere long to the great Powers to use their influence in order to overcome the resistance of the Porte.

Rupert's Land—Character and Appearance of the Country.

The whole country as far as Athabasca Lake and Peace River is calculated to become an earthly paradise if it were in the hands of Americans. There is a fine black alluvial soil on a limestone formation, producing in the wooded portions beech, birch and maple in profusion, and being eminently fitted for cultivation. The whole of the Great Fish down to the Polar Sea is the finest grazing country in the world. In 1856 the population of the Red River colony comprised 316 natives or half-breeds, 116 Scotch, 92 Canadians, 40 English, 13 Irish, 2 Swiss and 1 Norwegian. As the foreign element is withdrawn, the population is said to decline in civilization. Convenience to the United States had drawn off young men from the settlements year after year, and thus the population is kept at a standstill. The settlements are scattered along the river banks for a distance of about 60 miles upon narrow strips of farms which have a depth of about one-eighth of a mile.

The houses are generally placed on the edge of the table land, close to the channel of the river. At one point, however, the elevation is not sufficient to protect them against floods when the water rises 30 feet above its ordinary level. Where farming is well conducted, 56 bushels of wheat have been grown to the acre, and 40 on new land is common. Potatoes grow to a prodigious size, and Swedish turnips have reached as high as 70 pounds. Indian corn succeeds much better than in Canada. It is usually planted about May 23d, and hardly ever fails to ripen. Onions reach extreme dimensions. Melons grow well in the open air. At present the great difficulty in the way of extended cultivation is the want of a market. Tomatoes, which are extremely sensitive to frost, can be grown in the open air in sheltered positions. The prairies for hundreds of miles produce excellent crops of hay. Timber comprises elm, oak, maple and poplar. The agricultural implements in use are English and American. The region through which the Red River and the Assiniboin run, and between them and Lake Winnipeg, presents a singular and important combination of prairie and woodland. The isolated groves of trees on the rolling prairie look in many places like the results of careful culture.—*N Y Herald.*

FELL'S COFFEE has become the favorite Colonial beverage, and is to be found on every breakfast table from Victoria to the foot of the Rocky Mountains. *

Canadian Mail Summary.

The news brought by last mail is to the 5th inst. The Red River difficulty appears to have become more intensely muddled; but, inasmuch as the news from that Territory comes for the most part through American channels, very little reliance can be placed upon it. There is no reason to doubt that Mr McDougall and party have returned to Canada; but what policy will be adopted by the Canadian Government, in view of the circumstances, is not intimated. It appears that Mr McDougall took out with him a proclamation, the promulgation of which was contingent upon Imperial action, presumably to be completed by the 1st December. Taking for granted (which he certainly ought not to have done under the circumstances) that the transaction upon which his authority must rest had been duly completed at the appointed time, Mr McDougall issued the proclamation, declaring the Territory a part of the Dominion and himself the Governor thereof. This act on the part of Mr McDougall must have placed himself in a rather ridiculous position, and certainly could not tend to improve matters. Prince Arthur had returned from his hunting expedition up the Gatenau River. The hunt was not very successful, the weather having proved very unfavorable. Out of eighteen moose that were started, only one opportunity offered itself, and of this His Royal Highness promptly availed himself, and bagged a fine moose. The Prince's bag consisted of said moose, a bear and a very fine deer. These he took with him to Montreal. Referring to the Prince in connection with the expedition, the Ottawa correspondent of the *Globe* remarks:—'The Canadian experience of His Royal Highness has told well on him. He is stouter than on his arrival. In fact a good hunt, an expert in bushwacking, for he axed down a large pine, much to the admiration of the Messrs Gilmour's hard visaged workmen, must have brought both stomach and muscle to a state satisfactory to him.' Mr Hugh Allan, of Montreal, gave the Prince a ball, at his residence, which was a very brilliant affair, many having come from Quebec, Toronto, Ottawa, and other places. On New Year's Day the Prince, the Governor-General, and the Lieut.-Governors of the various Provinces received very large numbers of calls. A petition to the Governor General, praying for the commutation of Munroe's sentence, on the ground of capital punishment being doubtful, had been circulated, and was signed by the jurors who tried him. The *Canadian Illustrated News* is said to be improving with every issue.

AN old Oriental story relates that one day Moolla Museerodeen ascended the desk in a mosque and thus addressed his audience: 'Oh, children of the Faithful! do you know what I am going to say?' They answered 'No.' 'Well, then, it is no use for me to waste my time on so stupid a set of people,' he replied, and came down and dismissed them. Next day he again mounted the desk and asked—'Oh, true Mussulmen! do you know what I am going to say?' 'We do,' said they. 'Then there is no use for me to tell you,' replied he. And again he let them go. The third time his audience thought they would catch him—and when he put the usual question they answered—'Some of us do and some of us don't.' 'Well, then,' he replied, 'let those who know tell those who do not.'

The late Saint-Beauve used to tell the following little story: A married lady friend asked his counsel upon the means of obtaining a separation from her husband and was admonished by him of the necessity of producing blows, corporal violence, or outrageous insults. One morning, the lady called on him quite radiant saying, 'My husband has slapped me; I'm so glad of it?' 'Were there any witnesses present?' 'Why no.' 'Ah! then, said Saint-Beauve, it must all be done over again.' Great was the vexation of the lady who returned like a fury to the conjugal domicile and applied upon his face as smart a slap as ever made cheeks tingle, saying, 'Here, Sir, take your box; it's good for nothing to me, and I give it back to you.'

WHO SAYS IT?—Everybody says it—that the Blue Post sets the best lunch in the city, from 11 a. m. to four p. m. everyday. Bushell—as his name indicates—believes in good measure, too, which is another recommendation. *

A CHANCE FOR BARGAINS IN CLOTHING.—A. Gilmore, Yates street, near Government, has commenced to sell off his entire stock of readymade clothing AT COST, to close out that branch of his business, as he intends to confine his attention to MERCHANT TAILORING. Garments of every description made to order in the most fashionable styles at greatly reduced prices. *

REMEMBER THE FATE OF ABSALOM.—Fred. Paine, Tonsorial Artist. Shaving 12½cts Hair Cutting 25cts, Shampooing 25cts. That original cheap Shaving Shop stands on the sunny side of Johnson street. *

BUY IT AND TRY IT.—Russell's celebrated coffee. The best on the Coast. Warranted a pure and healthful beverage. *

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT AND PILLS.—With the changes in the weather will come some trials to the constitution over which any one moderately observant may happily pass, provided Holloway's medicine be taken when the first symtoms of disordered action or depressed feelings indicate a departure from health. These mildly purgative yet powerful purifying Pills, are admirably adapted for literary persons, women, and children, and for all whose occupations mostly confine them to the house, whose appetite is generally poor, and whose digestion is slow and imperfect. The directions apportion the exact dose for every invalid who may, with moderate attention, regain good health, and confidently point out to fellow-sufferers how these remedies will be their best mode of cure and surest source of strength. 3*

BREAKFAST—EPPS'S COCOA,—GRATEFUL AND COMFORTING—the very agreeable character of this preparation has rendered it a general favorite. THE CIVIL SERVICE GAZETTE.—"The singular success with which Mr Epps attained by his homœpathic preparation of cocoa has never been surpassed by any experimentalist. By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well selected cocoa, Mr Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately flavored beverage which may save us many heavy doctors' bills." Made simply with boiling water or milk. Sold by the trade only in ¼lb., ½lb., 1lb. tin-lined packets, labled—JAMES EPPS & Co., Homœpathic Chemists, London, England. sc18 6m tussa

Mercury in its various forms, has filled the earth with shattered wrecks of humanity. This pernicious and destructive drug has been the specific and main reliance of empirics and quacks of past generations, and the present, for the cure of all classes of chronic and constitutional diseases. Dr. Walker's Vegetable Vinegar Bitters, a purely vegetable preparation, is not only a safe and harmless remedy, but a more certain cure for these diseases, and will effectually eradicate mercury and other pernicious minerals from the system. 25*

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Are all combined in MURRAY & LANMAN'S FLORIDA WATER—the only recognized perfume of fashion.

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Auction Sales.

Lumley Franklin,

AUCTIONEER, COMMISSION & REAL ESTATE AGENT

BEGS TO ANNOUNCE THAT HE HAS taken the Fireproof Brick Building in Yates street, nearly opposite Messrs. Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express office. Having had eleven years' experience in the Auction business, he respectfully solicits a renewal of public upport. ma13

AUCTION

Merchandise,

EX CALIFORNIA.

LUMLEY FRANKLIN

WILL SELL ON

Tuesday, Jan. 25th,

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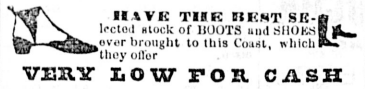
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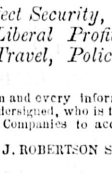
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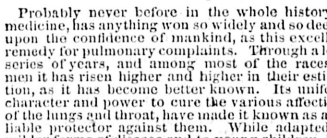
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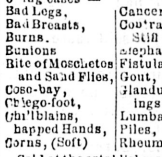
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